

**NONPROVISIONAL PATENT APPLICATION**

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**BOX PATENT APPLICATION**



**NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL  
 RULE §1.53(b)**

Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is the nonprovisional patent application

For (Title): IMAGE INPUT/OUTPUT APPARATUS AND DOCUMENT PRESENTATION APPARATUS

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- ☒ Formal drawings (Figs. 1-9; 9 sheets) are attached.
- ☐ A Declaration and Power of Attorney is filed herewith.
- ☐ An assignment of the invention to NIKON CORPORATION is filed herewith.
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement is filed herewith.
- ☐ Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.
- ☐ A Preliminary Amendment is filed herewith.
- ☐ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This nonprovisional application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_--.
- ☒ Priority of foreign applications No. 11-370051 filed December 27, 1999 in Japan is claimed (35 U.S.C. §119).  
 No. 2000-368127 filed December 4, 2000 in Japan is claimed (35 U.S.C. §119).
- ☐ A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign applications is filed herewith.
- ☒ The filing fee is calculated below:

**CLAIMS IN THE APPLICATION AFTER ENTRY OF  
 ANY PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT NOTED ABOVE**

FOR:	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA
BASIC FEE		
TOTAL CLAIMS	20 - 20	= *
INDEP CLAIMS	14 - 3	= *
<input type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS PRESENTED		

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**SMALL ENTITY**

RATE	FEE
	\$ 355
x 9 =	\$
x 40 =	\$
+ 135 =	\$
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$</b>

**OTHER THAN A  
 SMALL ENTITY**

RATE	FEE
	\$ 710
x 18	\$
x 80	\$ 880
+ 270	\$
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 1590</b>

- ☒ Check No. 115049 in the amount of \$1590.00 to cover the filing fee is attached. Except as otherwise noted herein, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be required to complete this filing, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this sheet are attached.

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